THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. of CULTURE) (KM. SELJA) : (a) to (c) According to the information furnished by the University of Delhi, in the light of the discussions at the special meeting of the Academic Council held on 18th June, 1993, the University has appointed an Examination Reforms Committee under the Chairmanship of Prof. C.P. Thakur of the Faculty of Management Studies to consider all issues concerning examination reforms.

Further, a Committee headed by the Dean, Faculty of Commerce has been constituted to go into the leakage of a question paper for B. Com. examination.

Further action can be taken after the findings of these Committees are finalised.

Preservation of Red Fort

755. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that some portions of Red Fort in Delhi needs immediate preservation as reported in the 'Times of India' dated 16th June, 1993 ;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the Archaeological Survey of India has not been paying any attention to the preservation of the prestigious Red Fort :

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the steps Government propose to take to give due attention in the matter ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT.OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA) : (a) No Sir.

(b) No. Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

(d) Apart from regular annual maintenance, a sum of Rs. 21·30 lakhs has been allocated during 1993-94 for further development of the Red Fort.

Primary Schools Running without Teachers

756. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the Delhi Administration has increased the number of primary schools :

(b) whether it is also a fact that a number of primary schools went without teachers during the current academi year;

(c) if so, what is the number of schools in which primary education was introduced ;

(d) what is the number of schools which went without teachers ; and

(e) what action Government propose to take in this regard ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE) (KM. SELJA) : (a) to (c) Primary Schools in Delhi are generally set up and maintained by the Municipal Corporation of Delhi. However, the Delhi Administration has a programme to convert a number of its Secondary and Senior Secondary Schools into Composite Schools by providing primary classes/